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MARYLAND GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 25, 1785.

CONSTANTINOPLE, *May* 2.

ALL the effects of the late pacha of Belgrade have been confiscated. They are estimated at half a million of piastres. This governor has almost literally been stripped naked, nothing being left him but some old clothes, and money enough to subsist him on his way to Servia. It is said he had concealed two large diamonds, valued at 200,000 florins; but the rapacious capigi pacha made him be stripped without mercy, and took from him what he had saved as his last resource in his disgrace. The prince of Servia, in compassion to his misery, has made him a considerable present.

BERLIN, *May* 20. The interesting speech made by the baron de Hersberg, minister of state at the last assembly of the academy, relative to population in general, and that of Prussian estates in particular, has been published; by which it appears that he calculates the present population of the Prussian estates at six millions of souls, two millions of whom form the population of Silesia, Prussia and East-Friesland. Before the accession of his present majesty the estates under the Prussian dominion contained only two millions of inhabitants; the increase of population is owing to the paternal care of the king, who has used his utmost to encourage agriculture, manufactures, and commerce.

HAGUE, *May* 30. Orders have been dispatched provisionally to the generals and commanders of the regiment in the service of the republic to hold themselves ready for marching on the first notice. The reason for this sudden change is not publicly known.

The advantages gained by the East-India company last year in the peninsula of Malacca are of too great importance to be omitted: The following is an extract of a letter from Malacca, dated July 6, 1784:

"We had no opportunity of landing our troops till the 18th of June, at three in the morning, when we began to send on shore a body of 734 men, of whom 402 were Europeans, and the rest Indians. Such silence was observed, that the enemy had not the least notice of our approach. The Batavier and the Patriot cutter were appointed to cover the landing, which we began to effect about six o'clock. The enemy were by this time alarmed, when we played our artillery, which swept the coast and prevented them from assembling. At about half after seven our troops were formed in order of battle, notwithstanding a brisk fire from the enemy, and marched up to the spot where Rajah Hadje's standard was displayed. A fierce engagement now took place, and the victory was long doubtful; however, at last it declared for us;—the Indians were forced in their intrenchments, and almost entirely cut in pieces; Rajah Hadje the commander in chief, and three of his sons, together with the flower of his officers, are in the number of the slain. Our loss is very inconsiderable. M. de Swith, captain of the Juno, and lieutenant Faber, are dangerously wounded."

PARIS, *May* 26. The 20th instant, died here the abbe Cherin, historiographer to the French king, in consequence of the cold he contracted by his coach being overturned near Versailles on Easter-day. He died possessed of eighty thousand livres per annum.

May 27. The queen made her public entry here on the 24th, amidst the acclamations of the people. Her majesty was accompanied by Madame, Madame Countess d'Artois, Madame Elizabeth of France, the dutchess de Chartres, and the dutchess of Bourbon, and went directly to the cathedral church of Notre Dame, to return thanks for the birth of his royal highness the duke of Normandy. In coming out of the church her majesty went to Genevieve, to join in the public prayers for obtaining an end of the drought that has so long prevailed. She afterwards dined at the castle of the Thuilleries, and in the evening the city was illuminated; at midnight a firework was played off before the hotel of the count d'Aranda, the Spanish ambassador.

May 29. An epidemical distemper has broke out in the diocese of Coutance in Lower Normandy, which rages with such fury that government has thought proper to station a line of troops, in order to prevent the inhabitants of that diocese from having any communication with their neighbours.

BRINN, *(in Moravia) May* 4. Thomas Kaspruck, a weaver, lately died at Hellelchau, in the 118th year of his age. He was never afflicted with illness, and till a few hours before his death had the perfect use of all his faculties. He constantly worked at his business till within the last four years.

LONDON, *May* 30.

We are assured, that in consequence of the hostile proceeding of the Spaniards against the British subjects in the West-Indies, the strongest remonstrances have been made from the court of Great-Britain to that of Madrid; and that the reply, in extenuation of such proceedings, was, that the Spanish viceroys had transmitted several complaints of encroachments made in their possessions by the English: and had upon some occasions acted without any authority from his catholic majesty.

Last week a sow belonging to Mr. George Hall, pewterer, in Bur street, Norwich, littered 27 pigs, all of which were east alive, and likely to live, had the sow been able to have supported them. Nineteen of them are now alive, and in a thriving condition.

Extract of a letter from Bath, May 24.

"A French lady of genteel appearance has been for some time in an unhappy situation among us. She will not tell her name, nor her connexions; but she is a well-bred woman, and her conduct in all respects irreproachable; however I have good reason to believe her history to be as follows: That she is the daughter of a French merchant, and so captivated the heart of a young French nobleman, that he married her, and consequently highly disobliged his family. Her husband died soon after, and her own relations, to appease the resentment of the noble family, to which she was connected by matrimony, urged her to retire to a convent; to avoid which, she has retired into this kingdom, and is, I fear, at this time friendless and moneyless. When Dubarre was killed here, by count Rice, all the world was opening their purses to Madame Dubarre; but this unfortunate stranger (who is a much more worthy object) seems to be in danger of wanting bread. What a pity that some noble family of our nation does not shew her that countenance which the foolish pride of our neighbours denied her, because her father was a merchant. She would be an excellent tutoress for young ladies of fashion."

A letter from Vienna, dated April 30, says, that his imperial majesty has lately passed a decree which is much talked of for its singularity, as well as the strangeness of the request to which it is an answer. A petition was presented by an Ex-Jesuit, named Wanhart, formerly a professor of mathematics, praying that he might obtain a decree of expectancy, permitting his body after death to be interred in the burying ground of his brethren, the Jesuits, rather than the secular priests. To this his majesty answered, "That the granting of such a decree of expectancy being unusual and unprecedented, the petitioner has to appear at the time when the decree can be put in execution, that such right may be done as reason may then require." It is probable that the Jesuit when stretched in his coffin will scarcely think of presenting himself at the time prescribed by this decree.

It is said that M. de Beaumarchais's account for goods furnished to the Americans on the security of the French government, having been settled at 3,600,000 livres, M. de Calonne has caused that sum to be remitted to him, with 200,000 livres for the damaged effects, as also for his ships employed in the royal navy, or as transports, &c.

June 1. According to the Dutch letters, great exertions are to be made in their dock yards as soon as peace is concluded; and their marine is to be regulated in such a way as shall enable them to equip a respectable fleet at a very short notice.

The French have four first rates upon the stocks, one of which is very nearly the dimensions of the Ville de Paris.

Count de Grasse has not recovered the smallest degree of popularity among his countrymen, every 12th of April operates upon their feelings, as the wretched twenty-seventh of July affects the minds of men in this country.

The following are the two incendiary and threatening letters, now under the consideration of Mr. Pitt and the king's cabinet:

To the right honourable lord George Gordon, London.

Infernal Scoundrel!

Your assurance to traduce the Roman catholics, in your letter to Mr. Pitt, shall be punished by me as soon as I arrive in London. I well know where your house is. By the sacred God, if you ever attempt a similar instance of bigotry, your head shall be severed from your body.

I am, bloody bigoted Gordon,
(or will be) Your destruction.

Ireland, Dublin, Parliament street.

To lord George Gordon, Welbeck street, London.

You are going on disturbing the peace and tranquility of our gracious sovereign; and, by ——, the next attempt, I will come Felton over the prince of Wales, you, and Charles Fox; if I do not, I will be damned. His majesty has poor but honest friends that will see him righted, so take it right and be advised by

His majesty's friend,
A damn'd determined Fellow.

If you are wise, take this caution from a poor but honest man; if not, by ——, you will feel me soon stabbing your heart through and through.

NEW-YORK, *August* 6.

A gentleman who landed last Tuesday from Jamaica, mentions that three American vessels had arrived at Port-Royal, which, although refused to dispose of their cargoes, were indulged with every other grace and attention; being allowed to remain a sufficient time to refit, victual and water;—not so at certain West-India islands, owned by other nations, where American vessels are not permitted even to enter their harbours.

August 8. A correspondent, who has been lately in Philadelphia, assures us, that there is a very ingenious gentleman there, perfectly acquainted with all the branches of coinage, as carried on in Europe. Besides his being possessed of the necessary apparatus, he is the only person on the North-American continent capable of cutting the dies—his superior abilities have received the applause of almost every person of judgment and taste in Philadelphia, and his ingenuity is not unknown to some *conspicuous* members of Congress.—From a conversation I have had with the above artist (continues our correspondent) I find the establishment of a mint at this present time, is a matter of very great importance to the United States: The coinage of copper alone would bring into the national treasury, *ten thousand pounds per annum* for a number of years; that of silver and gold would be more lucrative, by adopting the following mode: Let dollars and crowns pass at their present rate, and *no higher*: Then suppose Congress to establish a *mint*, and a silver coinage, with some local emblem, to shew that their coin belonged to the United States of North-America; now, let these supposed pieces of continental silver pass for *eight shillings*, but at the same time contain *one-eighth* less intrinsic value than the present dollar, which would be about *15 per cent.* advance on the present circulating money. This would be a sufficient inducement for holders thereof to have it recoined, it would be a sufficient stimulus for foreigners to bring it here for the same purpose, and it would be the most effectual mode of lowering the price of labour, and keeping the money in the country.—Nor would this any more than an emission of paper money, alter the course of exchange with Europe, for the *Spanish dollar* would still pass at its usual price. These few hints I conceive to be the outlines of a most important scheme of policy, and requires nothing but wisdom in the government to carry it into execution, for the benefits it would produce to every individual, superseded the slender ties of *national* virtue, which to the eternal shame of humanity, are almost as often despised as enforced.

August 10. A few days ago arrived in this city, via Jamaica and Philadelphia, the honourable Temple Luttrell, son of the right honourable lord viscount Carhampton, and brother to her royal highness the dutchess of Cumberland. This gentleman will embark in a few days for Europe. He is the third of the noble viscount's sons who has visited our continent.

We are informed that the readings from the principal poets and authors, inimitably performed for the instruction and amusement of the nobility and gentry in London, by that venerable tutor in the English language, Thomas Sheridan, Esq; in conjunction with the celebrated comedian Mr. Henderson, are now carried to such eminent perfection, that their last performance was exhibited to an audience of about eight hundred ladies and gentlemen, at half a guinea each; and we are informed that Mr. Henry, lately arrived from Jamaica, with the American company, who has been some time a pupil of Mr. Sheridan's, and well qualified for such an undertaking, will tender his best abilities to the public in this useful and much wanted branch of science and entertainment, after the state theatre in Maryland is opened, which will be ready for performance in about a month. At Bath, Mr. Pratt, a gentleman well known under the signature of Courtney Melmouth, Esq; has gained much reputation and large receipts of cash by his excellent readings which have effected vast improvement, especially among the youth in that part of the country.—Argal, why not adopt institutions of this kind in every principal city of our continent?

It is somewhat remarkable, that almost all the capital portrait and historical painters, now in England, are North-Americans by birth! And what is still more extraordinary, the greatest astronomer perhaps in Europe, is one Dornforth, from this country, a great and self-taught mathematician. We are authorised to add to the preceding article: That Mr. Earle, a native of Massachusetts, student of Yale college, and a scholar of the celebrated Mr. West in London, lately arrived at Boston, on his way to this city, where it is not doubted he will be honoured with the patronage of our principal ladies and gentlemen; as from the excellent specimen of his abilities, which has already been received and greatly approved here, he is pronounced justly entitled to as much encouragement in the exercise of this elegant art, as any gentleman of the profession that has preceded him.

From Jamaica we are informed, that his excellency, general Alured Clarke, having so highly recommended himself by a gracious and amiable administration, to the confidence and affection of the inhabitants of that very flourishing and important island, the principal gentlemen, with the two houses of the legislature lent home an address to their royal sovereign, entreating his majesty to continue him in that important station, they having entertained apprehensions of a noble lord's being proposed by the ministry to supersede him; to which application his majesty most kindly declared his consent.

PHILADELPHIA, *August* 16.

Last Thursday there happened a fracas of a most disagreeable nature, at the Old Ferry Wharf, between the crew of the ship Friendship, captain Davis, belonging to Hartford, in Connecticut, but last from Eustatia, and the crew of a French schooner, the Maria Victoire, captain Gardin, of ——. At about half after two in the afternoon, the Maria Victoire arrived at the above wharf, where there was a brig just ready to sail. Captain Gardin agreed with the captain of the brig, to take his place on his departure; and accordingly brought to along side. Just as the brig was getting out, arrived the Friendship, the mate [—— Burke] and crew of which insisted on taking possession of the wharf, now becoming for a moment vacant. The French insisted on it as their right. On this an altercation en-

sued, when the Friendſhip's crew, amounting to 12 or 14, jumped on board the Maria. Captains Gardin and Davis, (both of whom appeared to have been abſent at this juncture, arriving, the former commanded the aſſailants to quit his veſſel immediately. With this they complied, but ſtill endeavoured to get between the Maria and the wharf. Finding themſelves diſappointed in this, they again boarded the ſchooner, having previouſly provided themſelves with handſpikes, &c. With theſe they attacked the crew, and ſeverely wounded in the head, capt. Gardin and Henry Tamarind, the latter of whom in ſuch a manner, as to leave him in imminent danger of his life. Some others of the ſchooner's ſailors they beat ſeverely. They then cut her hawſer, in order to ſet her adrift; but a great crowd of people aſſembling they thought proper to retire.

This outrage created a great alarm in the city. Within a few hours, a warrant was iſſued to apprehend the offenders. The high conſtable and ſome aſſiſtants, went on board the Friendſhip, and there ſeized four of them, all that the French ſailors could indentify. Theſe were brought before the chief judge at between 10 and 11 o'clock at night. The French ſailors appeared, and ſwore poſitively to three—one for cutting the hawſer, the others for ſtriking and abuſing captain Gardin, Tamarind, and others. Nothing appearing againſt the fourth, he was diſcharged; the others were ordered to priſon. The witneſſes were bound over in 100l. each, to proſecute at the enſuing court of oyer and terminer, to be holden in September next.

It is to be added, that by the examinations of the French ſailors, it appears captain Davis diſcountenanced the attack; but that his men diſregarded his directions, paying attention to Burke, the mate, who ſtands charged with having not only ſtimulated them to their violence, but even aſſiſted in it.

ANNAPOLIS RACES,

OCTOBER MEETING.

THE Jockey Club purſe of ONE HUNDRED GUINEAS, will be run for at Annapolis, on Thurſday the ſixth of October next, free for any horſe, mare, or gelding, belonging to a member of the club; heats and weights as uſual. The ſubſcriptions to be paid to Mr. Mann the firſt day of October.

Annapolis, Auguſt 21, 1785.

TO BE SOLD,

A TRACT of land, lying in Tulley's Neck, Queen-Anne's county, containing 1100 acres, divided and rented out at preſent in three tenements; it will be ſold ſeparately, in tenements, or all together; it is good farming land, well wooded and watered, with a fine bottom of a mile and a half extent running through the land, capable of being improved into fine meadow, in a good neighbourhood, convenient to church and mills, and diſtant from the court-houſe ſix, and from Cheſtertown twelve miles. The whole, or any tenement of the above tract, will be ſold for ſpecie, or any ſpecie ſtate certificates taken in payment, upon credit, with bond and good ſecurity, until the firſt day of January 1790. Apply to William Ringgold, of Cheſter-town, or the ſubſcriber, tf

JAMES RINGGOLD.

To be SOLD, to the higheſt bidder, at PRIVATE SALE, for ready caſh,

A NEGRO WOMAN, about nineteen years of age, mother of two children, ſhe underſtands houſe and plantation work.

ELIZA LUSBY.

Auguſt 13, 1785.

THE creditors of Mr. John Chew, of Anne-Arundel county, lately deceaſed, are deſired to take notice, that there will not be a ſufficient eſtate to pay all his debts; they are therefore requeſted to exhibit their demands as ſoon as poſſible, that the executor may know their degree and quality, and proceed to pay in the legal order, as far as he has effects; as he wiſhes the creditors whoſe claims are of equal quality, to draw a proportionable part, and thereby relieve him from the diſagreeable neceſſity of preferring one to the other, he ſubmits to them the propriety of meeting together and agreeing upon an equal diſtribution. The executor will meet the creditors the third Saturday in September next, at the late dwelling houſe of the deceaſed.

4w S. CHEW, executor.

WANTS A PLACE,

A YOUNG man, who writes a good hand, can keep accounts, and would willingly engage as a clerk to a ſtore, or the tuition of children in a private family, or the teaching of a public ſchool. Apply to the printers.

ONE GUINEA REWARD.

RAN away, about the 3d of July laſt, from Mr. Joſeph Dowſon, in Annapolis, a negro man ſlave named JACK, about twenty years old, ſix feet high, well made, can do all manner of plantation work, and can make and mend negro ſhoes; he is the property of Miſs Alice Nicholſon, over South river, and is ſuppoſed to be lurking about in that neighbourhood, or Weſt river; his cloathing conſiſts moſtly of ſoldiers apparel. Whoever takes him up, and delivers him to me at Annapolis, ſhall receive the above reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by tf

JOHN CRISALL.

Pig-point, Auguſt 17, 1785.

WHEREAS we have been credibly informed, that a ſet of people hath made a practice of carrying tobacco to Baltimore, and ſelling it there under the ſanction of its being inſpected at this place, and having reaſons to ſuſpect, from the clandeſtine proceedings of the ſellers, that the ſaid tobacco was not merchantable; we therefore think proper to give this public notice, to prevent our characters from ſuffering, that we have never ſince carried to Baltimore; and to ſuppreſs in future the like abuſes, we ſhall ſpare no pains to detect the worthy gentlemen concerned in this laudable trade, and to bring them to the diſhonour they ſo juſtly merit.

WILLIAM TILLARD, } inſpectors.
EDWARD HALL, }

Auguſt 10, 1785.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I intend to petition the next general aſſembly to make valid and good in law, a deed of bargain and ſale from Eraſmus Gill, ſen. to me, for two tracts of land called Barneby Reſurveyed, and Clovin Courſe, lying in Montgomery county, the deed is dated the ſixth of June 1775, executed and acknowledged by Eraſmus Gill and Caſſandra his wife, not recorded as the act of aſſembly requireth.

THOMAS CONTEE.

THERE is at the plantation of Benjamin Morris, in Prince-George's county, taken up as a ſtray, a ſmall bay MARE, about twelve hands high, has a ſmall ſtar in her forehead, ſome white hairs on her back, as if ſhe had been much galled with the ſaddle, and brandedon the near thigh R. The owner may have her again on proving property and paying charges.

TAKEN up as a ſtray, by Joſeph Turner, near Port-Tobacco, a ſmall bay HORSE, about twelve hands high, has a hanging mane and ſwitch tail, a ſtar in his forehead, his hind feet white, ſeems lately to have had a ſore back, and appears to be about ſeven or eight years old, branded on the near buttock I B. The owner may have him again on proving property and paying charges.

THERE is at the plantation of J. T. Chaſe, Eſq; in Anne-Arundel county, taken up as a ſtray, a dark brown MARE, about ten hands high, and eight years old, a ſnip on her noſe, two hind feet white, one wall eye, and has no perceivable brand. The owner may have her again on proving property and paying charges.

RICHARD WHITE, overſeer.

July 18, 1785.

I HEREBY give this public notice, that I have appointed Martin Norris to ſettle, pay, receive, and give receipt in every matter and thing whatſoever, relative to the eſtate of Mary Gover, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceaſed, which receipts or acquittances ſhall be good and effectual in law, as though done by myſelf.

SAMUEL GOVER, executor.

To be SOLD, on the premiſes, to the higheſt bidder, on the laſt Friday of October next, if not ſold before at private ſale,

THE dwelling plantation of the rev. Iſaac Campbell, late of Charles county, deceaſed, containing 250 acres, about 150 of which are cleared, and the remainder pretty well wooded: the improvements are valuable, there being an exceeding good dwelling houſe, kitchen, and many other neceſſary buildings thereon. The terms will be made known at the time of ſale, by 5w

WILLIAM and GUSTAVUS CAMPBELL, executors.

N. B. It is hoped that ſuch gentlemen as are in poſſeſſion of ſubſcriptions to a book propoſed to be printed by the late Iſaac Campbell, and now in the preſs, will return them, with whatever money they may have in hand, either to Walter Winter, Eſq; near Newport, or Dr. Guſtavus R. Brown, at Port-Tobacco, as the ſubſcriber wiſhes to be enabled to pay for the printing as ſoon as poſſible. The book will be done, it is hoped, in a few weeks.

WILLIAM CAMPBELL.

Benedict, Auguſt 6, 1785.

STRAYED or ſtolen off Benedict paſture, on Saturday night, the 23d of July, or early the next morning, a bright bay HORSE, lately the property of Mrs. Ferguſon, of Benedict; this horſe is eight or nine years old, between fourteen and fifteen hands high, has a ſmall lump on his back, occaſioned by the ſaddle; he is light made, trots and gallops, and is particularly remarkable for being dull. Whoever will return ſaid horſe to the ſubſcriber, if ſtrayed, ſhall receive ſix dollars reward and reaſonable charges paid, and if ſtolen ten pounds for thief and horſe. 3w

ROBERT MURRAY.

Auguſt 8, 1785.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the ſubſcriber intends to prefer a petition to the next general aſſembly of Maryland, to make valid a deed from M'Kinſey Smock to him for certain lands. w8

JOHN SMOCK.

The ſubſcriber has juſt imported a large and extenſive aſſortment of books, ſtationary, jewelry, &c.

AMONG which are, books in hiſtory, biography, poetry, voyages, and travels, &c. medical philoſophical, and political, with a great collection of novels, moſt of them in elegant bindings; folio, quarto, octavo, and pocket bibles; Engliſh and French prayer books; manuals, hymns, pſalters, &c. large and ſmall teſtaments; Dilworth's, Dyche's, Watts's, and Fiſher's ſpelling books; Wettenhall's Latin and Greek grammars; Brightland's, Prieſley's, Greenwood's, and other Engliſh grammars; Johnſon's, Barley's, and Dyche's, and other dictionaries; ſuperfine thick and thin folio and quarto poſt, thick and thin gilt and black edge ditto, foolſcap, and pot writing paper; blue and demy blotting and brown paper; large royal broad folio, medium, demy, and foolſcap legers, ruled and plain, with proper alphabets, bound in rough calf; long and broad folio, quarto, demy, and foolſcap account books; common-place books, neatly bound and claſped; demy and foolſcap, long and broad, ruled and plain, folio and quarto waſte and day books, in marble covers; demy and foolſcap red leather memorandum books, ruled and plain, interleaved, &c. large and ſmall ſuperfine meſſage cards; demy and foolſcap paper caſes; large and ſmall drawing and copy books; paſte board files; marble paletes; lead note preſſes, round and flat rulers; paint ſhells and painting bruſhes; ſquare and round pewter and lead ink ſtands; ivory and poliſhed leather ink pots; large and beſt Engliſh and Dutch pens and quills; large and ſmall ſlates, with ſlate pencils; a great variety of the moſt faſhionable and ſuperb large and ſmall gentlemen and ladies etwee caſes, with ſilver edges and locks; demy and foolſcap red Morocco and black Liverpool ſtropt pocket books; aſſorted memorandum books of various ſizes; gentlemen and ladies writing and ſhaving boxes; black leather pocket ditto; fine razors and razor ſtrops; ſhaving boxes, with fine ſcented ſoap; black hair ribands and pins; fine tortoiſeſhell and other large and ſmall tooth combs; tooth-pick caſes and bruſhes; fine enamelled with cut glaſs ſmelling bottles; nutmeg-graters, and needle caſe ditto; elegant tortoiſeſhell and fine poliſhed leather ſilver mounted ſnuff boxes; paper and japan'd ditto; a great variety of ladies ſet and paſte ſhoe buckles; gentlemens ſet knee ditto; paſte breaſt pins; gold lockets, rings, and ear-rings; gold and ſilver vellum lace; elegant gold and ſilver ſpangled buttons; ſleeve ditto; gilt and fine ſteel watch chains, and ſeals with elegant cyphers; cane ſtrings; fine ſliding ſilk purſes; gentlemens fine beaver gloves; plated ſhoe and knee buckles; metal and pinchbeck ditto; plated and ſteel ſpurs; fine ivory and black horn table knives and forks; ſugar nippers; fine pen knives with caſes; ſciſſars; temple ſpectacles; cork-ſcrews, &c. a great variety of childrens red and green Morocco pumps; little hiſtories, &c. drawing inſtruments with ſurgeons lancets; German flutes and inſtructors for ditto; fowling pieces, and ſilver mounted piſtols; elegant æquatintoes, mezzotintoes, and engraved prints, ſome of them executed in a maſterly manner; charts of the Cheſapeake bay, and maps of North-America on cloth and framed; a great aſſortment of plays and farces; fine ſhining patent blacking cakes; buckle bruſhes; fiſhing hooks and lines; gentlemens elaſtic hat bands; lawyers red tape; black lead pencils; ſuperfine ſealing wax and waters; gold leaf, &c.

STEPHEN CLARK.

N. B. Binding in all its various branches, poſt folios of all ſorts and ſizes executed in a neat and elegant manner, and on the ſhorteſt notice, by S. C.

LAWS OF MARYLAND.

THE ſubſcriber, printer to the ſtate, takes leave to inform all perſons who wiſh to have a copy of the laws of Maryland, from Bacon's abridgement up to the end of the laſt ſeſſion of aſſembly, with the reſolutions of the ſeveral conventions, the proceedings of the convention that framed the conſtitution, the declaration of rights and form of government, and the articles of confederation, that by order of the general aſſembly, he ſhall begin that work in a few months, under the direction of Alexander C. Hanſon and Samuel Chaſe, Eſquires; and as he intends to ſtrike but a few copies more than what are ordered for the public uſe, or engaged by individuals, has ſent ſubſcription papers to the clerks of the ſeveral counties, and a number of other gentlemen in each county, for the purpoſe of collecting the names of thoſe perſons deſirous of ſecuring a copy of this uſeful and neceſſary work, which will be printed with a new letter, on a good paper, of the ſame ſize, and nearly on the ſame plan, with Bacon's, to be delivered (at a particular place in each county) bound in leather, at three pounds each copy. Having requeſted a return of the ſubſcriptions by the middle of Auguſt, he hopes thoſe who mean to ſubſcribe will do it before that time, or they will loſe the opportunity of purchaſing ſo valuable a book.

FREDERICK GREEN.

Annapolis, May, 1785.

WANTED,

A YOUTH, as an apprentice to the mercantile buſineſs, who writes a good hand, and can be recommended for his character and morals. Apply to the printers.

IN COUNCIL, AUGUST 18, 1783.

RESOLVED,

THAT the following claims, which have been exhibited to this board, to be approved and paſſed in order for payment, out of thoſe funds appropriated by law for ſatisfaction of certain debts, and which this board is of opinion ought not to be ſatisfied out of the ſaid funds, or paſſed, and allowed, for the reaſons and objections ſtated, be publiſhed, with the ſaid reaſons and objections, for the information of the claimants.

Claimants.	Againſt whom.	Reaſons why not allowed.
Lancelot Cooper	Richard Button	The claimant and debtor both being Britiſh ſubjects.
James Somerville	Daniel Dulany, of Walter	Same.
James Brown and Co. Piſcataway	The rev. Mr. Boucher	Same.
Ditto Bladenſburg	Ditto	Same,
William and Robert Molleſon	Robert Alexander	Same.
James Gordon and Co.	Lloyd Dulany	Same.
William Palmer	Robert Chriſtie, jun.	Same.
William Molleſon	Robert Alexander	Same.
Ashbarner and Place	Ditto	Same.
Anne C. Green, deceaſed	James Chriſtie	Same.
William Sydebotham	The rev. Mr. Boucher	No evidence that the debts due to Mr. Chriſtie are inſufficient to ſatisfy the claims againſt him.
Hugh Dean's bond	James and Robert Chriſtie	Same.
Thomas Cockey Deye	Ditto	Same.
George Wells	James Chriſtie	Same.
Lawrence Oneal	John Glaſsford, and Co.	Same.
John Gardiner	Gale, Fearon, and Co.	Same.
Samuel Handy	Ditto	Same.
Ethel Pottinger	Ditto	Same.
Nathan Hodge	Ditto	Same.
Samuel Higgins	Ditto	Same.
Robert Pottinger	Ditto	Same.
Edward Parkinſon	Ditto	Same.
Morice Miles	Ditto	Same.
John Gant	Ditto	Same.
Joſeph Braſhear	Ditto	Same.
Elizabeth Simmons	Ditto	Same.
Benjamin Harwood	Ditto	Same.
Richard Duckett	Ditto	Same.
Arnold Waters	Ditto	Same.
John Sellman	Ditto	Same.
Sarah Harwood	Ditto	Same.
Jeremiah Magruder	Gale, Fearon, and Co.	No evidence that the debts due to Meſſieurs Gale, Fearon, and Co. are inſufficient to ſatisfy the claims againſt them.
Joſhua Clark	Ditto	Same,
Thomas Duckett	Ditto	Same,
Jeſſe Simmons	Ditto	Same,
Jacob Green	Ditto	Same.
William Mears	Ditto	Same.
Anne Orme	Ditto	Same.
Mary Watkins	Ditto	Same.
George Gardiner	Ditto	Same.
Thomas Duckett and others	Ditto	Same.
Lawrence Oneal	Mackie, Spiers, French, and Co.	Same.
Samuel Handy	Ditto	Same.
Richard Harbert	Nottingham Company	Same.
Charles Graham, deceaſed	Ditto	Same.
Joſeph Brownley	Ditto	Same.
Thomas M'Lockland	Ditto	Same.
Michael Jenkins	Ditto	Same.
Joſhua Smith	Ditto	Same.
Archibald Buchanan and Co.	James Ruſſell and Co.	Same.
Jenkins	Ditto	Same.
Edward Day & uxor	Ditto	Same.
Aquila Hall, deceaſed	Ditto	Same.
Gibſon and Donaldſon	Ditto	Same.
Thomas Davis	Ditto	Same.
Peter Hunter, two accounts	Ditto	Same.
William Evans	James Ruſſell	Same.
Hanſon Briſcoe	Ditto	Same.
John Gant	Ditto	Same.
Nathaniel Chapman's executors	Principio Company	Same.
John Peter	Colin, Dunlop, and Co.	Same.
Richard Ponſonby	Daniel Stephenſon	Same.
Lawrence Oneal	Cunningham, Finley, and Co.	Same.
George Croſs	Daniel Stephenſon	Same.
George Conn	Ditto	Same.
John Lowe	Ditto	Same.
Walter Williams, jun.	Ditto	Same.
James Wilſon	Daniel Stephenſon	No evidence that the debts due to Mr. Stephenſon are inſufficient to ſatisfy the claims againſt him.
John Gant	Ditto	Same.
Chriſtopher Edelin	Henry Addiſon	Same.
John Cadwalader, two accounts	Walter Dulany	Same.
Elizabeth Humphries	The rev. Mr. Boucher	Same.
Joſiah Mitchell	Thomas French	Same.
Col. Sharp	Daniel Dulany, of Walter	Same.
William Inyard	Daniel Dulany, of Daniel	Same.
Abram Andrews	Nottingham Company	Same.
Joſeph Stiles	James Chriſtie	Same.
Andrew Davidſon	The rev. Mr. Edmiſton	The property of Mr. Edmiſton, which was reſtored to Mrs. Edmiſton, is liable for the debts.
Jean Caldcleugh	Anthony Stewart	This debt was contracted after Mr. Stewart left the ſtate.
James Anderſon and ſon	James Chalmers	This debt originated ſince the revolution.
William Embleton	Lloyd Dulany	No vouchers to ſupport the claim.
James Long	Robert Chriſtie	The agreement on which this account is founded muſt be produced.
James Dick and Stewart	Ditto	The probate by the executor defective and inſufficient.
Moſes Galloway	Ditto	The probate not ſufficient.
Robert Crawford	Ditto	M. Galloway's certificate is defective, the perſon, in whoſe poſſeſſion Mr. Chriſtie's books are, muſt certify what the claim is.
Benjamin Griffith and Co.	Ditto	This account will not paſs, as the ſheriff is chargeable only on ſuppoſition there was an eſcape, and there is no evidence produced of it.
Sabina Rumſey	Samuel Hyde	Not ſufficient evidence of the claim, nor any conſiſcated property of Samuel Hyde's to pay his debts.
Jane and Thomas Contee	Ditto	Same.

Claimants.	Against whom.	Reasons why not paid.
Shields and Mattison	Dr. Henry Stevenson	The credits must be ascertained.
George M'Candless	Ditto	Same.
John Stevenson, deceased, Jonathan Plowman's administrators	Ditto	Same.
	Dr. Henry Stevenson	Wants the necessary credits for Dr. Stevenson's attendance as a physician.
Anne Ogle	Anthony Stewart	The original bond must be produced.
Ditto	Rev. Jonathan Boucher	The original bond must be produced, and evidence that the debts due to Mr. Boucher are insufficient to satisfy the claims against him.
James Dick and Stewart	Anthony Stewart	Wants explanation, and the probate is defective and insufficient, not being made as prescribed by law.
Executors of James Dick	Ditto	Wants explanation, and also not admissible for want of vouchers and a probate.
Charles Steuart, secretary with Daniel Dulany, of Walter, for A. Stewart	Daniel Dulany, of Walter	Wants explanation and proof, and the obligee ought to be paid and bond taken up, before the one security be satisfied out of the estate of the other, as such satisfaction would be no bar to the obligee's right to take his remedy against the other security.
Charles Steuart, secretary for A. Stewart	Anthony Stewart	Wants explanation and better proof, and the bond ought to be paid and taken up before the claim can be admitted.
Bennett Neale	Alexander Lawson and Co.	Apply to A. Lawson and Co. for payment.
William Smith, secretary for Dr. Stevenson, to A. Hoops	Dr. H. Stevenson	The bond ought to be paid and taken up before the claim is admissible.
George Fitzhugh	Daniel Dulany, of Walter	Probate wanting by George Fitzhugh, that he has received no satisfaction from Daniel Dulany, or indemnification for the said claim.
Hambleton Davidson	Robert Christie, jun.	Wants explanation and information.
Clement Sewell	Robert Alexander	No probate that R. Alexander received the money; Mr. Sewell only makes a memorandum of his belief, *not upon oath*.
George M'Candless	Nottingham Company	This being a private account against Corbin Lee is inadmissible as a claim against the company.
Shields and Mattison	Ditto	Same.
Clement Sewell, administrator of Mrs. Smith	James Chalmers	It appears by Mr. Chalmers's books and other vouchers, that there will be nothing due the estate of Mrs. Smith on a settlement of their accounts.
Joseph Harris	Ditto	Same.
Barbara Harris	Ditto	Same.
Thomas Riche	Ditto	Same.
Sylvanus Prothero, assigned to Robert Anderson	Ditto	Same.
John Moore	Ditto	Same.
Gideon Haynes	Ditto	By an account current exhibited by Mr. Chalmers, it appears that Mr. Haynes is indebted to him for rent after the expiration of his lease.

By order, T. JOHNSON, jun. clk.

August 17, 1785.

To be SOLD, at PUBLIC VENDUE, on Tuesday the 6th day of September,

PART of a tract of land called Friends Choice, containing about 188 acres, lying in Anne-Arundel county, on the great road leading from Annapolis to Queen-Anne; the soil is excellent for either planting or farming; the buildings are, a good dwelling house 16 feet by 32, with a 40 feet tobacco house, and several other out-houses; likewise an exceeding good apple orchard. Any person inclinable to purchase may view the premises before the day of sale, by applying to the subscriber. The terms will be made known on the day of sale.

THOMAS BEARD.

Ohio Lands, &c. for Sale.

July 10, 1785.

A FEW thousand acres, in tracts from 1400 to 150 acres, lying on the main waters of the Ohio, Kentucky, Salt-river, Green-river, and Silver-creek; three tracts of 500 acres, within 6 or 8 miles of the town of Louisville, at the falls of Ohio, and one ditto of 250 acres, within 4 or 5 miles of said town, on which is a natural meadow, fit for the sithe, of 80 acres; an improved lot in the town of Louisville, one lot distant only from the main square, on which is a small house, which now rents for 120 dollars per annum; an unimproved ditto in the second street of said town, it being a corner lot, where the cross street which leads from the country intersects the said street. Also 4 lots in the town of Cumberland, at the extremity of the navigation up Patowmack river; 2 on the main street, and 2 on an elevated situation, near where the public buildings are intended. And also a large quantity of dry goods, fit for the present and approaching season, at wholesale, two and a half per cent. lower than they are usually sold for in Maryland. Cash, tobacco, bills of exchange, negroes, or any voucher, article of trade, &c. which can operate to my credit with Messieurs Wallace, Johnson, and Muir, will be taken in payment, and an extensive credit given for part of the purchase money. Apply at William Waters's mills, prince-George's county, to

RICHARD JONES WATERS.

St. Mary's county, July 15, 1785.

To be SOLD, at PUBLIC SALE, on Wednesday the 7th day of September next, at Leonard-town, for cash or tobacco,

PART of a tract of fine rich land, lying in Medley's Neck, containing sixty acres. Credit will be given for two or three months for part of the money. Any person inclinable to purchase may know the terms and view the land, by applying to

BERNARD MILLS.

Intendant's-office, July 22, 1785.

Confiscated Property for Sale.

To be SOLD, at Annapolis, on Saturday the 20th day of August, for specie, or certificates liquidated for specie,

PART of a tract of land called Piney-Grove, in which is included a tract of land called Hanchliff's-Range, containing upwards of 1100 acres; this land adjoins Severn river and is well wooded. At the same time and place will be sold, two tracts of land adjacent to each other, called Deep Creek and Flushing, containing upwards of 200 acres; these lands lie between Severn and Magothy rivers.

At Baltimore-town, on Tuesday the 30th day of August, will also be sold, two tracts of land, containing 650 acres, late the property of James French. Pierce's Encouragement, 1000 acres, of John Hyde. Fell's Dale, 200 acres. —— Pearson. 500 acres of land upon Hunting-Ridge. 900 acres near Ellicott's mill. Some lands near Baltimore-town, and a tract of land in Cæcil county, called the Widow's Lot, patented for 800 acres, if not sold at private sale before the day above-mentioned.

On Thursday the first day of September, 4200 acres of land, in Baltimore and Harford counties, the property of Daniel Dulany, son of Walter, to be laid off in convenient lots. On Thursday the 8th day of September, at Daniel Walker's tavern, will also be sold, part of My Lady's Manor, and the reserved lands in Baltimore county. And on Monday the 19th day of September, at Green's tavern, Coup town, the reserved lands in Harford county. A moiety of Moriton's Lot, containing 200 acres. The Grove, 800 acres. Dunkield, 500 acres, &c. &c. Bonds with approved security will be required, payable the first day of January 1789.

DAN. OF ST. THO. JENIFER, intendant of the revenue.

IN COUNCIL, June 23, 1785.

RESOLVED, That it is the opinion of this board, that no claim against British debtors be allowed in order for payment, under the act, entitled, A supplement to the act for the liquidation and payment of debts, &c. until proper satisfaction is given this board, that the British debtor has not debts due him in this state sufficient to discharge the said claims, agreeably to the act, entitled, An act to seize, confiscate and appropriate, all British property within this state.

RESOLVED, That the above resolution be published in the news-papers for the information of all such claimants as aforesaid. 8 w

By order,

T. JOHNSON, jun. clk.

THE business not being in sufficient forwardness at Upper Marlborough, on the 9th instant, to elect a visitor for the college to be erected on the western shore of Maryland, all gentlemen who have subscribed to papers in the hands of gentlemen in Prince-George's county, and who did not vote at Nottingham on the 8th instant, are requested to meet at Upper Marlborough on the first of September next, to proceed to that election.

MANAGERS.

JOHN CARROLL, RICHARD SPRIGG,
WILLIAM SMITH, JOHN STERET,
P. ALLISON, GEORGE DIGGES.

Intendant's-office, July 19, 1785.

THE intendant of the revenue informs all persons who have bonds in the treasury, that monies and securities have been lodged in it, which, together with one fixth of the unbonded debt as will be sufficient for the redemption of the emissions of June 1780, and that in consequence thereof a draught of bonds has become unnecessary; but he takes the liberty of informing those persons who have hitherto neglected to pay the sixth part of their debt in specie, or of the aforesaid emissions, that the intendant will, without discrimination, bring suit to October court against all defaulters in this respect, and compel payments according to contracts: he also informs all persons who are indebted for interest that do not pay it by the first of September next, agreeably to the act for consolidating the funds, that he will put the bonds of every such person, without distinction, in suit. All collectors of the taxes are likewise informed, that unless they pay into the respective treasuries the monies they are in arrear, that indulgence can no longer be given.

DAN. OF ST. THO. JENIFER, intendant of the revenue.

Annapolis, July 13, 1785.

To be SOLD for cash, or country produce,

ABOUT one hundred and fifty acres of land, lying on one of the brances of Patuxent, Elk-Ridge, near Mr. Joseph White's mill, about twenty four miles from this city, and about eighteen from Baltimore-town; on it is a new dwelling house thirty feet by eighteen, an old kitchen, and a tolerable good apple orchard; there are one hundred acres of cleared land, the other fifty in wood.

JOHN CHALMERS.

A PETITION will be offered to the next general assembly, praying that an act may pass empowering certain commissioners to lay off convenient roads to Hamburg warehouse, in St Mary's county. A petition will also be offered to suppress or discontinue inspection of tobacco at Piles's and Chaptico.

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